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claimed, that no other newspaper in the country goes into so large a percentage of all the houses within a radius of twenty miles from the office of publication.



PROMISES TO BE INTERESTING.

Sensational Developments Expected in a Trial in Berlin.

The trial of Herr Leckert, Baron von Luetzow, Herr Ploetz, Herr Berger and Herr Foellmer, the journalists who are charged with libeling Count von Eulenberg, Baron Marshall von Bieberstein and Prince Alexander von Hohenlohe, began yesterday in Berlin. The case arises from the two-fold versions of the czar's and kaiser's toast at Breslau, and the alleged libels are contained in comments on the modified official version of the toast and in asserting that the publication of the first version, which the charge construes as unfriendly to Germany, was due to the irresponsibility of the government and to English influences.

Herr Leckert refuses to divulge the name of the person who gave him the information on which he based his criticisms, but it is believed to be a Parlin official.

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The trial is causing a sensation among

the workings of the court clique which, dominated by the former minister of the interior, Count Botho von Eulenberg, the latter's cousin, the present court marshal, and Richthoff, the ex-chief of police, credited with bringing about the downfall of Gen. von Caprivi, the predecessor of Prince Hohenlohe as imperial chancellor. They are also charged with being the instigator of the press war which raged for the year past against Prince Hohenlohe, the chancellor, and Baron Michael von Berberstein, the minister for foreign

This clique has heretofcre been supposed This clique has heretoicre been supposed to enjoy the confidence of Emperor William and Prince Hohenlohe and Baron von Bieberstein, both of whom are to be called to the witness stand, intend to expose the whole plot of the clique's attempt to force them to realign. them to resign.

WORRIED INTO SUICIDE.

Amassa Ely, a Well-Known Philadelphia Civil Engineer, Shoots Himself. Amassa Ely of 3128 North 15th street, Philadelphia, a well-known civil engineer. committed suicide at his home yesterday by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. He was taken to a hospital, where he died soon after his admission, from the effect of his injuries. The act is supposed to have been caused by temporary insanity, resulting from worriment over the case now on trial between Filbert, Porter & Co., and the city, to recover a balance, alleged to be due for the construction of the Queen's Lane reser-

Mr. Ely's friends are dumbfounded at his action, as he never hinted his intention of taking his life. Mr. Ely was engineer in charge, representing the city's interests at the reservoir while it was being construct-

Frank De Wolf, the son-in-law of George V. Catlin, ex-consul to Zurich, who lives in Paterson, N. J., committed suicide in that Paterson, N. J., committed suicide in that place Tuesday by swallowing a large quantity of morphine. He arrived from Europe last Saturday, where he had been living in Presoen with his wife, the daughter of Mr. Catlin.

GLASS WORKS RESUME. After a Long Idleness They Are Again

in Operation. All the factories under the control of the Pittsburg Plate Glass Company in the country resumed operations in full yester-

day, after a long idleness. Each factory employs hundreds of hands, and the indica-tions are for a comparatively steady run. Col. A. L. Conger of Akron, Ohio, one of the directors, said the actual business on hand was not the cause of the resumption so much as the condition of the market and the prospective demand.

Flour Mills to Resume.

By the first of the year every flour mill in St. Louis will be running full blast. This is the prediction on 'change. Many of the St. Louis mills are now shut down, and Others are only running half time. The flour jobbers confidently expect that the price of flour will go up by the first of the year. The millers claim that with wheat as high as it is now they cannot make

Disastrous Freight Wreck. A disastrous freight wreck occurred on the Pittsburg, Shenango and Lake Erie railroad near Springboro', Pa., Tuesday night, in which the engine and twenty cars ditched and badly demolished, were ditched and badly demolished. A broken rail is supposed to have caused the trouble. Engineer Harry Sloss and Brake-man James Boldena were seriously injured.

An Extra Session Wouldn't Surprise

Him. Representative-elect Sheldon of the twelfth Michigan district is in the city on business matters. While on his way here he stopped at Canton and had a pleasant talk with the President-elect. Mr. Sheldon received 18,000 majority, the largest given any congressional candidate in the state by over 10,000. "Of course, I do not know what will be done at the coming session of Congress on the tariff," said Mr. Sheldon, "but I believe there will be an extra session of Congress if nothing is done this winter. I intend to shape my business affairs for an extra session, as it wouldn't surprise me to see one.

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LIKELY TO HOLD TOGETHER.

The Federation of Coal Mining In-

The agreement entered into February by the presidents of the Anthracite Coal Mining and Carrying Company at the instance of the powerful financial interests will expire nominally January 1, 1897. At the time of the agreement, however, it was arranged that the contract would run on, subject to thirty days' notice from any interest. There is the best authority for the statement that no notice of withdrawal has been filed, and that none will be. The companies for the first time in the history of anthracite trade kept faith with each of anthracite trade kept faith with each other absolutely, and all interested looked confidently for the banner year of the industry. The plans were, however, nullified to a large extent by the long continued depression in general business, disturbance in the money market and ante-election agitation. The first six months of the trade were poor, as the agreement did not really become operative until June and the tonperative until June will show a heavy falling off. Recently business has been very light, more particularly at tidewater, where prices, with the single exception of chestnut, which ha been in fairly good demand, have been and are now being cut 25 cents below the nominal September circular.

Trade is now improving under the stimulus of the colder weather, but officials of the various companies agree that the best that can be expected in the present month is to get up to the September figures.

BRITISH GUIANA.

An Additional Appropriation Made for Military Defenses.

Mail advices received here from British Guiana state that the high court has appropriated an additional \$10,000 for military defense. The resolution recites that the sum is required to carry out the armament begun about a year ago, when the Venezuelan boundary trouble assumed an acute form and when British Guiana invested in two 4-7 quick-fire guns and two Maxim machine guns. The resolution was not passed without opposition, as one of the members, Mr. Gaskin, protested that the next thing they would hear was that the government wanted them to provide a

The question of abandoning the military outpost at Uruan, where previous conflicts with Venezuela have occurred, is being dis-cussed in British Guiana. It is not a result the prospective boundary settlement, but because the outpost is sacrificing many of the best officers in the British colonial service. It is the post farthest inland, where England keeps a force as a means of where England keeps a force as a means of continuing possession to the uttermost point of the boundary. The indications are that the post will be abandoned or else a force of black natives sent to garrison it.

Lightship No. 67. Admiral Walker has gone to Portland, Oregon, to arrange for the completion of light ship No. 67, which was under construction by John F. Steffen & Co. of Portland at the time of their failure some months ago. Upon the investigation of Admiral Walker will depend the settlement of the question whether the vessel shall be completed by the bondsmen or the government. It is understood that since the bond was given there has arisen a question as to the sufficiency of the sure-ties. From Portland Admiral Walker will go to Los Angeles to meet the other members of the deep-water harbor commission

Demand for American Tin Plate.

Consul Ridgely at Geneva, in a report to the State Department, says there is a small demand in Geneva for American tin plate, more especially for the raw material packed in boxes; also for block sheets packed The consul promises if he recelves price lists of American manufac turers to try and put them in the hands of ntending purchasers.

Bank Note Circulation.

The monthly statement of the controller of the currency shows that on November 30 the amount of national bank notes in circulation was \$235,312,103, an increase for the month of \$414,446, and for the last twelve months of \$21,440,907. The amount of circulation based on United States bonds was \$216,600,684, an increase for the month of \$99,670, and for the last twelve months secured by lawful money was \$18,702,419, ar increase for the month of \$314,776, and a decrease for the last twelve months of \$4,699,351. The amount of United States registered bonds on deposit to secure circulating notes was \$241,272,150, and to se-

Discourtesy to Royalty. The Count of Flanders, brother of King Leopold, and his son, Prince Albert, were the objects of a hostile demonstration on their arrival the other day at Dolhan, on the German frontier, where they went on a shooting tour. The peasants of the neigh-borhood objected to the Prussian beaters accompanying the royal party and some lively exhibitions of popular disapproval

AGAINST THE SALOON

The Approaching Convention of the Anti-Saloon League.

A GIGANTIC MOVEMENT WELL BEGUN

How the Organization Originated and Got Under Headway.

PROGRAM OF WORK

The first anniversary convention of the American Anti-saloon Leage, which was organized in this city last December at the national convention arranged for by the District of Columbia Anti-saloon League, will be held in Washington Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings of next week, December 8, 9 and 10. The greatest interest has been shown in

he coming convention among the friends of temperance throughout the entire country, and delegations are expected from every section, even from such extremely listant states as Oregon and South Dakota In advance of the sessions of the conven ion there is to be a meeting of the execuive committee at the residence of Presi ient Price, 1320 Vermont avenue, the afernoon of Monday, December 7, at : o'clock, and a meeting of the board of direction, Rev. A. J. Kynett, LL.D., chair



in Calvary Baptist Sunday school house, the evening of Monday, December At 8 p.m., Monday, December 7, there is to be a regular meeting of the District o Columbia League in its hall, No. 623 Louis ana avenue, at which the election of offi cers and members of the executive com mittee for 1897 will take place, and delegates to the national convention who may arrive in time have been invited to attend

Who Are Coming.

The secretary has already been officially notified of the appointment of 101 delegations by the following bodies: National and international: Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America, International Suprem-Lodge, I. O. G. T.; the Keeley League, Na tional Woman's Keeley League, general conference of the Methodist Episcopa Church, National Temperance Society an Publication House, Non-partisan Nationa Woman's Christian Temperance Union High Tent of North America Independen Order of Rechabites, National Division Sons of Temperance of North America Supreme Council Templars of Honor and Temperance, committee on temperance and liquor traffic of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, United States Christian Commission Reunion, Universalist genera convention. The state and territorial or ganizations to be represented are: Anti-saloon League of the District of Columoia, Anti-saloon League of South Dakota, Michigan Anti-saloon League, Anti-saloon League of Pennsylvania, Connecticut Tem-perance Union, Maryland Temperance Al-

A Large Membership. Other organizations that have chosen delegates are: Central Baptist Association of Indiana: Center Baptist Association of Pennsylvania; Columbia Association of Baptist Churches; Connecticut Baptist Anniversaries; Davenport Baptist Association. Iowa; Illinois Baptist Pastoral Union Keokuk Baptist Association, Iowa; Mansfield Baptist Association, Ohio; Oberlin Baptist Association, Kansas; Michigan Baptist state convention; Tioga Baptist Association, Pennsylvania; Western Union Baptist Association of Ohio; Central Union Mission of the District of Columbia; south ern Kansas Christian conference; Christian missionary convention of Maryland, Delaginia Christian Missionary Society; Washington conference of Congregational churches, District of Columbia: fourth general conference District Epworth League; Washington District Epworth League, Baltimore conference; West Virginia conference Epworth League; committee on philanthropic labor of Baltimore yearly meeting of Friends; Indiana yearly meeting of Friends; Ohio yearly meeting of Friends' Church; western yearly meeting of Friends' Church; Grand Lodge of Colorada Lodge rado, I. O. G. T.; Grand Lodge, I. O. G. T.; of Connecticut; Grand Lodge of the Dis trict of Columbia, I. O. G. T.; Grand Lodge, . O. G. T., of Iowa; Maine Grand Lodge of Good Templars; Grand Lodge of Good Templars of Virginia; Grand Lodge of Wis-consin, I. O. G. T.; Illinois State Keeley League; Maryland synod of the Lutheran Church.

The following Methodist organizations will be represented: Baltimore conference, Erie conference, Illinois conference, New

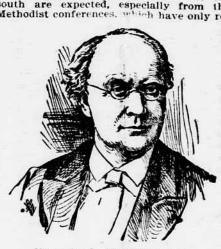
England conference, New England southern conference, northern New York conference, Philadelphia conference, upper Iowa conference, Virginia conference, West lowa conference, Virginia conference, West Virginia conference, Philadelphia preach-ers' meeting, Illinois conference South, Indiana mission conference South, Ken-tucky conference South, Missouri conference South, Tennessee conference South, Virginia conference South, Central Illinois conference of the Free Methodist Church, Wabash conference Free Methodist, north Georgia conference African M. E. Church The Presbyterian Church will be represented as follows: Synod of South Dakota presbytery of Bloomington, Ill.: presbytery of St. Clairsville, Ohio: presbytery of Vin cennes, Ind.: presbytery of Wooster, Ohio: Presbyterian synod of Illinois

United Presbyterian synod of New York, second synod of the United Presbyterian Other Organizations Coming.

Other bodies with delegates are: Reform bureau of the District of Columbia; Grand Division of the Order of the Sons of Temperance of the state of Maryland, Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance of New Jersey. Des Moines conference, United Brethren; East German conference, U. B. Church: East Pennsylvania conference, U. B. Church: Elkhorn and Dakota conference, U. B. Church; Maryland conference, U. B. Church; Michigan conference, U. B. Church; Michigan conference, U. B. Church; Michigan conference, U. B. Church; Parkersburg conference, U. B. Church; Sandusky conference, U. B. Church; West Nebraska conference, U. B. White river conference, U. B. Young People's Christian Union of Church; Young People's Christian Union of the Maryland conference, U. B. Church: Woman's Christian Temperance Union of the District of Columbia, Minnesota state W. C. T. U., Vermont W. C. T. U., W. C. T. U. of Virginia, Young Woman's Branch of the W. C. T. U. of Baltimore city, Non-partisan W. C. T. U. of Ohio, Women's

sylvania, non-partisan.

A large addition to the above list is expected between now and the opening of the convention, the morning of Tuesday, December 8. The Anti-Saloon leagues of Ohio and Virginia will certainly send delegates, and additional delegations from the far south are expected, especially from the Methodist conferences, which have only re-



Howard H. Russell, LL. D., national superntendent of the American League, is also state superintendent of the Ohio League. Bishop Galloway of the Methodist Episcopal Church South is a member of the executive committee of the American League, and an enthusiastic supporter of the anti-aloon movement.

Work of the Convention. The headquarters during the convention will be in Calvary Baptist Sunday school nouse, where the league was organized last year, and most of the sessions will be held

The morning and afternoon sessions of he corvention will be devoted to busiiess, while public meetings will be held en Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. That of Tuesday will take place in the Mount Vernon Place Methodist Episcopal Church South. On this occasion President Hiram Price of the executive committee of the Price of the executive committee of the District league will preside, and a number of addresses will be made. One of the speakers will be Rev. Howard H. Russell, D.D., of Columbus, Ohio, national superntendent of the league, who is also superintendent of the Ohio Anti-Saloon League. Dr. Russell's theme will be "The Church Versus the Saloon." There will also be two companion addresses, the subjects being, "The School Versus the Saloon." respectively. The speakers to make addresses on these subpects have not yet been selected.

The program for the rest of the time of the convention will, it is expected, be arthe convention will, it is expected, be ar-ranged during the present week.

Origin of the League.

The present active efforts in behalf of he Anti-Saloon League movement originated with a conversation between Archishop Ireland of the Roman Catholic Church and Rev. Dr. A. J. Kynett, chairnan of the committee on temperance and Production of the Methodist Episcopal thurch. These two eminent divines hap-Thurch. These two eminent divines hap-eened to be traveling together and natural-y conversed about temperance and the suppression of the drink traffic, in which ooth are greatly interested. They agreed that a platform on which all opponents of the salcon could stand for united ag-cressive work was practicable and very lesirable. Subsequently Rev. Dr. Kynett, while traveling in like manner with Rev. Dr. L. B. Wilson, president of the District of Columbia Anti-Saloon League, was informed by Dr. Wilson of the large degree of success that the District of Columbia Anti-Saloon League had met with in bring ing together representatives of different denominations, of all political parties and both white and colored, and Dr. Kynett suggested that the District of Columbia League take the initiative in securing a conference of leaders preliminary to a national anti-saloon convention. This con year, and the suggestion was laid before the executive committee of the local league. It was decided to undertake the work and arrangements were at once be gun for a conference to meet here the last three days of May, 1895, and invitations were sent out all over the country east of the Mississippi.

The Movement Grew.

Frem the responses it soon became evident that a number of prominent speakers and writers could not attend at that time, which included Decoration day, owing to previous engagements elsewhere. There upon the conference was recalled and the committee in charge undertook to endeavor convention by correspondence. Having received what were considered a sufficientumber of signatures, the call for the convention was given to the press October le Names continued to arrive subsequently, including those of Rev. James M. Cleary. president of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America; Rev. A. J. Kynett, D D., above mentioned; Rev. S. M. Newma D. D., pastor of the First Congregational Church, and Major George A. Hilton, president of the National Gospel Mission Ur Excepting individual representatives of the religious denominations, the committee onlasked for signatures of the heads of na ional and international temperance soci etles and national organizations known to be in sympathy with anti-saloen work, and to the national organization which is expected to result from its deliberations. The promotion of the convention ha been managed by the District of Columbi Anti-Saloen League and its executive committee. The manner in which its du ties have been performed can easily be inferred when it is stated that one year ago the only anti-saloon leagues in the United States were those in the District of Columbia and the state of Ohio, and row they are to be found in almost ever state and territory in the Union.

REMARKABLE ESCAPES.

Persons Blown in the Air, but Not Much Injured. A natural gas explosion at Moundsville W. Va., Tuesday night, followed by fire destroyed the \$10,000 dwelling of Mr V. A. Weaver. The sensational fea. ture was the fact that the five per sons in the house when its roof was litte in the air and its four walls were blow down all escaped with slight injuries Mrs. Weaver, her six months baby an four-year-old son were blown from a sto end story window into the front yard, with no harm to the baby. The servant girl a the back kitchen door was blown acros a lot, and the plumber whose carclessnes caused the explosion, came off with a fer

Investigating the Arbuckle Tragedy There has been no abandonment of the inquiry by the New York police into the cause of the death of Frank P. Arbuckle of Denver, Colo., in that city nearly two weeks ago. Michael Ryan, a bar tender, was held at the station house for a time yesterday as a suspicious per son. Detectives were sent out to investi-gate the story he told of his whereabouts on the night of Arbuckle's death, and as the result of their investigation Ryan was discharged from custody later in the day

Crazed Over Politics.

Judge W. L. Cundiff, one of the mos prominent lawyers in the territory of Okla home, has been committed to an insan asylum. He has become crazed over poltics. Cundin is a personal friend of W. J Bryan, and nominated the latter for Con-gress the first time. Ten days ago he returned from Nebraska, having stumpe that state for the silver candidate. Hi condition is dangerous.

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SHOT DURING A RIOT. Fight Among Men Seeking Work at

Trenton, N. J. Two men were shot, one of them seriously, in a riot yesterday between men who were seeking employment on the new Trenton, N. J., reservoir, for which a contract was given out last week. Hundreds of men out of work congregated at the reservoir site Tuesday and again yesterday, hoping to get employment from Contractor Lawton. Among the crowd were many Hungarians and Italians. Those who were not Huns or Italians sought to drive the other workmen away. This aftempt was resisted, and one Italian named Salvator drew a revolver and fired several shots into the crowd. One man was shot in the side and arm, and has been taken to the hospital. His condition is considered serious. Another man named William Lennox was shot in the arm. The shots falled of

their aim. Later, when Sheriff Ashmore arrived at the scene of the riot most of the crowd had dispersed. He, however, went through the fermality of reading the riot act. The man who was shot did not go to a hospital, as first reported, but was spirited away by Sub-Contractor James Ross says that the difficulty was not caused by the men seeking work, but by a lot of boys who

friends to prevent being arrested. were bent on deviltry.
There are no fears of further trouble,

NEW USE OF X RAYS. Dr. D'Inger Employs Them to Trans. mit Drawings Over Long Distances. From the New York Herald.

CHICAGO, Ill., November 29.-Latest of all the developments of the Roentgen ray is the telephot, a device by which it is promised any form of printed matter, writing or pictures can be sent over a wire and reproduced faithfully at the other end. The possibilities of the new device are far-reaching. Not only will dispatches be transmitted in the sender's own handwriting, according to the inventor, but printed matter, although the experiments are not conclusive as yet. Photographs. lithographs, etchings and oil paintings may appear as photographs at the other end of the line over which they are sent.

The inventor of this device is Dr. Robert D'Unger.

The apparatus by which these astonishing results are expected to be obtained consists of an extremely simple arrange-ment. The first essential is two Crookes tubes of equal intensity and resistance. One of these is destined for the sending end of the telephot and one for the receiv-

in the usual manner, with an induction coil battery, and is made to give off the Roentgen rays. Below it is placed the picture to be transmitted, laid out flat on a thin slab of vulcanite or other suitable material. Still further below that is the va-This variator is the most important part of the invention. It consists of two par-allel rods, across and at right angles to

which are several metal strips. The rays

going through the picture strike on the first of these two pencils and produce a mechanical impact. This vibration is transmetal cross-pieces. The shock to this second rod, which is made of carbon, in turn vary its electrical resistance so as to produce a change in the current flowing through it to the other end of the wire. At the receiving end this fluctuating current is passed through the primary of an induction coil, while the other Crookes tube is attached to the secondary, giving the vi-brations of current in the main circle from he sending end. The second induction oil transforms them into an alternating urrent, which will produce the usual action in the receiving Crookes tube.
Under the receiving tube is placed a piece of sensitized paper or a dry plate such as hotographers use. This is subjected to he direct action of the tube, and a short xposure will reproduce a shadow negative f the print or picture at the transmitting

The theory on which the telephot works s like that of the telephone. The inventor gures that the Roentgen rays, in going brough the picture at the sending station, are partly cut off by the material through which they pass, and hence produce a modified action upon the variator. These modifications are in turn sent over the line ibrations are transmitted in talking through a telephone.

Then at the further end these vibrations are changed back to the Roentgen rays, which act in an unequal manner on the ensitized plate, reproducing the original roperties of the picture sent, or rather a

Religious Denominations to Unite. Steps have been taken toward a consolidaion of the Mennonite and Amish religious denominations in the United States and Canada. The aims and objects of the two denominations are similar, and the proposed amalgamation will unite in one body two powerful religious sects. The district conferences of the two churches will name delegates, and a delegate body will convene o consummate the union. Every church in the United States and Canada will thus ake action, and an international conference ill be held in Elkhart county in 1897.

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